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FOR: "Water Treatment Device and Method"

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(d)

Attention: Box Missing Parts
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted, below listed are the required documents to perfect the filing of the above-referenced application.

1. A Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by the inventor;
- ✓ 2. Our firm check in the amount of \$200.00 for a two month extension of time; and
3. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts as requested by the Application Branch.

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for any extension of time necessary to render this response timely.

Please charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0694.

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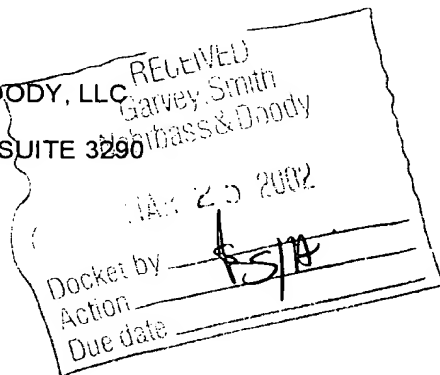


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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Small Entity Statement

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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